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The boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan is the Fourth Meridian of the Dominion Lands system of survey. This has been surveyed and marked on the ground from the international boundary to lake Athabasca, a distance of approximately 700 miles, by the topographical survey department of the interior. So far as is known, this is the longest surveyed straight line in the world.

The Scott Fruit Co., of Calgary, have leased the Rizzuto Garage and turned it into a warehouse, where they will conduct a branch of their large western wholesale business. J. M. G. Hart, of Coleman, will have charge of the Fernie branch. The new firm have already received several cars of vegetables and fruit for wholesale distribution along the Crow.—Ferne Free Press.

COMING TO THE ORPHEUM FOR CHRISTMAS DAY

One of the biggest film attractions of the season will appear at the Orpheum Theatre on the afternoon and evening of Christmas Day, when Samuel Goldwyn presents the Henry King production, "Stella Dallas," comprising her love life in eleven big reels. It is great as a novel, greater as a play and the greatest as an inspired photoplay.

Lois Moran, Samuel Goldwyn's "un-sophisticated and unmodernized" child wonder, who went to New York after completing the role of Laurel in the Henry King production of "Stella Dallas," a Samuel Goldwyn picture for United Artists Corporation, was the recipient of a letter from Olive Higgins Prouty, author of the celebrated novel.

The missive was sent just before Mrs. Prouty sailed for Europe and expresses the author's belief that Lois Moran is her ideal of Laurel Dallas. The letter follows:

"I want to send you a word to tell you I am thinking of you as Laurel, and wishing you good luck. I like to think of you as Laurel. I think you have all her loveliness and subtle charm, and, I imagine, her love of beauty. I will try to write you again."

"Stella Dallas" was given a Broadway presentation. The film was Goldwyn's first offering to United Artists Corporation.

DEATH OF MRS. THOS. KNOWLES

Death on Sunday night removed another of Bellevue's old timers in the person of Mrs. Thomas Knowles, at a ripe old age. Mrs. Knowles had been confined to her home for a considerable time, but the end came rather suddenly, following a heart attack.

There are left to mourn, two daughters in Bellevue, Miss Gladys, of the Royal Bank staff, and Miss Irene, who is attending school; and two sons, Thomas, of Flint, Michigan, and Joseph, of Bellevue, to whom sympathy is extended.

Funeral took place at Bellevue on Tuesday afternoon and was very largely attended.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION

At a meeting of the Fernie School Board held recently, Sherwood Herchmer reported that one of the speakers at the recent Chautauqua had said that this was the first Canadian town that had visited where the people did not appear to know what to do when "God Save the King" was being sung. This is a nasty charge, and while probably not absolutely correct, has a good deal of truth in it, and it is about time that a little more respect is shown to our National Anthem. In the Orpheum Theatre, for instance, the orchestra closes the performance every evening with "God Save the King," but by far the greater part of the audience seems to think the first strains of the music are a signal to make for the door. Let this disrespectful rust stop and the people stand at attention until the end of the selection.—Ferne Free Press.

ST. LUKE'S BLAIRMORE

Annual Christmas Tree in the Elks' hall this afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock. Saturday, December 25—Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m.

Sunday, December 26—Matins and Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Mrs. J. Kerr will sing a solo.

Parents are invited to the Christmas Tree and all are cordially invited to the services.

A. D. CURRIE, Vicar.

Mistakes when recognized and analyzed are the richest pay dirt a man can pan.

PLEASING FUNCTION AT COLEMAN CHURCH RECTORY

At a pleasant social evening held at the rectory of St. Alban's church, Coleman, on Thursday evening last, the Women's Auxiliary honored two members with a presentation. Mrs. Frank Barrington, retiring president of the Auxiliary, was the recipient of a handsome cut glass salad bowl and servers, a gift from her fellow officers and members. Mrs. William Jackson, church organist, was also presented with a beautiful glass-lined tray.

Both were much surprised at this concrete expression of esteem by their co-workers and also delighted to be so honored, responding in suitable terms. Dainty refreshments were served and altogether an enjoyable evening was spent.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year:

Hon. pres., Mrs. Frank Barrington; pres., Mrs. A. D. Currie; first vice-pres., Mrs. A. D. Currie; second vice-pres., Mrs. Fred Thom; sec-treas., Mrs. G. A. Brown. Rev. A. D. Currie was appointed auditor.

DOPE CHARGES SETTLED

The cases against a number of local Chinamen, on charges of being in possession of opium or frequenters of an opium joint, were concluded in the local police court last week end, Magistrate Steadman, of Macleod, presiding.

These cases were the result of a raid instituted on November the 18th last by Corporal Weaver, in charge of the local R.C.M.P. detachment, and Detective-Corporal Culverhouse, of Fernie, assisted by Chief Spence and members of the R.C.M.P. from Lethbridge.

Nine Chinese were fined as frequenters of an opium joint, in sums ranging from \$45 to \$50 and costs each, while one Wee Chee Shee was given six months in the Lethbridge jail together with a fine of \$300 and costs for being in possession of opium. Gillis & Mackenzie, of Blairmore, defended the latter.

Len Chang, alias Len Chuey, alias Len Hing, was fined \$50 and costs. He was defended by Dave Elton, of Lethbridge.

Lee Wing Yum was fined \$25 and costs, and Joe George, alias Chow Wei Foo \$20 and costs as frequenters, and the following \$15 and costs each on the same charge: Lee How Sam, Chow On, Woo York, Long Soon, Wong Kim and Mah Luck, all tried and convicted by Magistrate Gresham.

SMALL INCENTIVE FOR TEACHERS IN ALBERTA

That the teaching profession in Alberta offers little incentive to young men of ambition, and that the salaries offered are incompatible with the time, money and effort expended in fitting a man for the profession, are views expressed by J. A. Smith, inspector of high schools, in his annual report to the minister of education.

Mr. Smith considers the scarcity of well trained, experienced male teachers a serious matter. Many schools find difficulty in securing the calibre of teachers they desire, but are unwilling to pay their principals and teachers very high salaries.

The report states that there has been little improvement in teaching efficiency during the past year. An increase in experience and training is noted. Of the 210 teachers inspected during the year, 181 were university graduates, holding first-class or academic certificates. Twenty-six had first-class standing and three second-class standing.

Come and enjoy yourself on New Year's Eve at the Elks' third annual novelty dance in the opera house. There will be lots of fun.

An elderly man named Daniel B. McLean fell through a three-pane window of a tourist car while enroute from a visit to his old home in Ontario to his present home at Manville, Alberta. His body when picked up showed only a few slight bruises and evidence that death resulted mainly from exposure.

King, president of the Alberta League of Hockey Associations, advised that he has appointed a referee who will be used as far as possible in all the league and play-off games.



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Problems In The Maritimes

One of the outstanding matters to engage the attention of Parliament at its present session will be the report of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the claims of the Provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island for better terms from the Dominion Government and the initiation of policies designed to overcome many of the difficulties from which that section of the Dominion is suffering.

The report of the Commission was presented to Parliament on the day of opening, while the speech from the Throne foreshadowed the introduction of Government legislation dealing with various recommendations contained in the report.

The people of Canada as a whole will be found sympathetic to the taking of any reasonable steps to promote the development and prosperity of the Maritime Provinces and to assist the Provincial Governments and people to solve their most acute problems and overcome their most pressing difficulties. The Western Provinces will be found particularly sympathetic because people here fully realize that the extremes of Confederation are confronted with problems from which the central provinces of Ontario and Quebec are quite free, and which the people there cannot understand and consequently do not appreciate.

Freight rates, for example, have long been a live topic in the West, including not only what have been regarded in many quarters as excessive charges, but complaints that unfair discrimination exists between East and West in the matter of rates, and as between the scale of rates levied on various commodities. The West has waged a long battle on the subject of freight rates, and the end is not yet. It can, therefore, appreciate the importance of the recommendation made in the report of the Maritime Commission that rates be reduced by 20 per cent on the Atlantic Division of the Canadian National Railway, and that the loss of revenue to the railway be recouped to it out of the Dominion treasury, and that the C.N.R. be likewise reimbursed. One of the arguments advanced in support of this recommendation is that the Intercolonial Railway was built for strategic rather than commercial reasons and as a result it suffers from excessive mileage.

If, however, special rates are to be established for one section of the Dominion, and the losses to the railways made good by the Dominion as a whole, the door will be opened to demands for like treatment by other sections of the country.

The Commission further recommends substantial increases in the Federal subsidies to the three Maritime Provinces in order to assist those Governments in carrying on their functions and services, and in this connection supports the contention that the Western Provinces have been unfairly and unfavorably treated. It is true the Western Provinces have been treated differently, because all their natural resources have been withheld from them and in lieu thereof they are paid cash grants, but whether this constitutes a more favorable position is open to debate. However, reopening the subject of Federal subsidies to one group of Provinces must, inevitably, lead to a consideration of this question as it affects all Provinces. If the cost of government in the Maritimes is too great, it seems passing strange that the Dominion Commission did not at least express an opinion on the advisability of a union of these three small provinces under one Provincial Government.

Recommendations, suggestions, and quoted opinions as to Customs tariff changes designed to benefit the Maritimes will undoubtedly cause widespread discussion. A bonus on steel when Canadian steel is manufactured and recommended, inferentially an increased duty on steel is suggested; a treaty with the United States is advocated providing for the free admission of Canadian fish and pulp and paper products other than newsprint into the United States. In fact the report seems to favor a policy of higher duties by Canada against United States coal and steel and lower duties by the United States on Canadian fish and forest products, a combination of results desired by the Maritimes which it would appear to be rather difficult to get the United States to accept.

In certain other matters, as, for example, the development and raising of agriculture out of its present depression, and encouragement and co-operation in matters of immigration with the Federal authorities, the Commission makes it quite clear that the responsibility rests squarely on the Provinces themselves.

Whatever may be the outcome of the Commission's labors, or the nature of the legislation to be passed at Ottawa, it is to be desired that, renewed hope, confidence and vigor will animate the people of the Provinces by the sea, and that they will find encouragement in the steps taken in their behalf, for themselves to grapple more vigorously than ever with the problems which, in the final analysis, must be solved by the people chiefly concerned. The people of the west have found this to be true, and they have through their great co-operative enterprises and the application of their own energies succeeded to an amazing extent in bettering their conditions and advancing the development and prosperity of these Western Provinces.

Pays Well For Talent

Artists Giving Program Over Radio

Ask High Price

Radio has begun to pay high prices for its talent. Eddie Cantor received \$2,000 for his recent broadcast of twenty minutes, or \$100 per minute. The Keweenaw Battery Company which fought the bill, state that they had 20,000 requests for photographs from that one broadcasting appearance.

The National Broadcasting Company is said to have paid Mary Garden and Will Rogers \$2,500 each for their fifteen-minute period at the microphone for the opening program.

Thompson: "Ah, so this is your wife and baby?"
Greer: "Yes, meet my hawl and chain."

Convicts Apply For

Patent On Invention

Partners in Crime Display Mechanical Skill in Prison

Starting as partners in crime and later turning to the law, the men who fell into the hands of the law, Archie Wilcox and R. H. McCoy have become inventive partners in the state prison at Salt Lake City.

Both mechanically inclined, they turned their skill toward improving prison equipment. One of their achievements is an improved type of bearing, said to eliminate knocks from motors. Patent has been applied for and McCoy has been notified that it would be issued.

Saskatoon Fox Farm

Saskatoon has now five silver fox farms in flourishing condition, each having a stock of from 100 to 500 silver black foxes.

Nothing is easier to hear than the troubles of your neighbors.

Your wife, as well as your sins, will find you out.

MURINE
for your EYES
Refreshes Tired Eyes
Write Mrs. Lee, "Chlorophyll Case Book"

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Considering New Invention

British Admiralty Looking Into Device For Locating Grounded Submarines

The British Admiralty is considering an invention for locating and communicating with submarines that are unable to rise to the surface.

The apparatus, the invention of a North country man, consists of a buoy carried by the submarine alongside the conning tower. If the submarine is unable to rise to the surface the buoy can be released, and being filled with compressed air, rises quickly to the surface and floats above the sunken vessel to which it is attached by a cable.

The buoy contains a telephone by means of which readers and the imprisoned men can communicate. It also holds rockets, a lighting apparatus and signal bell to attract the attention of passing ships.

Pains In Back Subdued Sore Chest Relieved

A Nova Scotian Tells How She Overcame Her Troubles With

NERVILINE

"I consider Nerviline the best remedy for a cold, sore throat or tightness across the chest," writes Miss Lucy Mosher from Windsor, N.S. "Fourteen years ago my husband was unable to breathe. I rubbed on Nerviline three times a day, used Nerviline in my bath, and he was completely restored." It is because Nerviline is so powerful, so penetrating, so sure to relieve congestion, that it is used in most homes, for the prevention and relief of a hundred minor ills. Get a 35c. bottle to-day.

Speedy Communication

N. A. McIntyre, radio amateur of Brooklyn, N.Y., sent a message to Los Angeles. The message was received by 6-BSE, San Francisco, and relayed to Los Angeles. An answer was returned to Brooklyn and the time from when the message was sent until an answer was received was only 21 minutes.

STOMACH TROUBLE DUE TO THIN BLOOD

It Usually Disappears When the Blood is Made Rich and Red
This blood is one of the most common causes of stomach trouble. It affects the digestion very quickly. The glands that furnish the digestive fluids are diminished in their activity, the stomach muscles are weakened and there is a loss of nerve force. In this state of health nothing will more quickly restore the appetite, digestion and normal nutrition than cod liver oil.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood, making it rich and red, and this enriched blood strengthens weak nerves, stimulates tired muscles and awakens to normal activity the glands that supply the digestive fluids. This is shown by an improved appetite, and soon the effect of these blood enriching pills is evident throughout the whole system. You find that what you eat does not distress you, and that you are vigorous instead of irritable and listless. If your appetite is feeble, if you have any of the distressing pains and symptoms of indigestion, you should at once take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and you will find the better condition in which they will put your blood.

These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or you can get them by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

V.C. Winners Form Escort

Victoria Cross winners will be chosen to form an escort for the Duke of York during his Australian visit. It was decided at a conference of returned soldiers in Melbourne. The conference has asked the Government to finance the formation and equipment of the escort.

Milling Company to Increase Plant
International Milling Co., with plants in Calgary, Moose Jaw, Minnesota and Toronto, is planning to increase its milling capacity by 2,500 barrels a day. The present capacity is 17,400 barrels. Messrs. A. E. Ames and Co., of Toronto, are in charge of the financing.

A halting speech may be the result of a lame excuse.

WILL USE DOG TAGS

Dog tags will be used this winter by the Hudson's Bay-McFarlane organization to prosecute oil development work in the Ribstone field in northern Alberta. This is the area where the quest for oil started following a favorable report by Dr. G. S. Hume, head of the Dominion Geological Survey.

A Swedish castle built in 1490 contained a central heating plant in the basement with conduits through the walls.

Paint the flower pots you use in the house with water color paints and see how pretty they look.

French Premier Absent-Minded

Forgot Dinner Engagements and Names of the Foreign Ministers
Monsieur Poincaré, the trouble of France, is a famous mathematician as well as a statesman, and he has one characteristic that clearly belongs to his scientific rather than to his political side. That is his absent-mindedness, some interesting examples of which are told by the Paris correspondents of the London Sunday Times.

The Premier was recently the principal guest at a political dinner at the house of one of his friends, and though all the other guests had been there for half an hour, nobody was surprised at the delay, for the Premier's idiosyncrasies are well known. But astonishment was provoked when, a quarter of an hour later, a telephone call to his official residence revealed that he had begun the short journey an hour before. A manservant who went downstairs to investigate, however, found M. Poincaré in the caretaker's office working out a mathematical problem, part of the home work of the caretaker's son.

In remembering he was M. Poincaré the mathematician he had forgotten he was M. Poincaré the politician and political guest. But he recovered his wits in time, and by admitting that the problem was difficult. Another adventure of M. Poincaré's was to forget the name of his Foreign Minister in full chamber. On an interruption he said, "Tomorrow may be responsible for debate because my friend Monsieur—" and here he stopped, pointing to M. Briand. Then he tried again, "The ex-Premier Monsieur—" and he again failed, till rocking with laughter, a hundred deputies called out "M. Briand."

No Purchasers For

Ex-Kaiser's Letter

Put Up at Auction But No Bids Received

Apparently the transfer from Berlin to Dorn had destroyed the value of a 100,000 mark letter, which was sold at auction in Germany. The letter, a scullion and Goethe, fetched 330,450 and 500,000 marks each. A four-line stanza in the writing of Heine was sold for 1,440 marks. Signatures and a 100,000 mark letter were valued at the way from 6 up to 600 marks, though a letter of General Ludendorff's commanded no more than 10 marks. When a letter of the ex-Kaiser's was put up there was not a single bidder. It was sold for 10 marks. The old Kaiser's letter was recognized as being so valuable that nobody could afford to offer a bidding price for it. This view, however, was not shared by Republicans.

Ticket Fifty Years Old

Railway Refuses Request of Owner For a Refund

An unusual railway ticket dated 1876 signed by Sir Joseph H. Wilson, and calling for an excursion fare from Portland, Maine, to Philadelphia, was received by the Canadian National Railway, with the suggestion that "there may be some refund coming on it."

The sender is J. F. Smith of Portland, Maine. There was no refund, but the ticket will be added to the collection of the old Grand Trunk records in the Canadian National archives.

Irrigated Farms Prosperous

Farmers are doing well in the new irrigated district north of Lethbridge. A \$6,000 crop was threshed by one man during this, his first year. He paid \$2,500 on the land, \$1,500 on equipment for operating his farm, and cleared off a \$400 loan. "Forty-eight hundred dollars' worth of debts wiped off the liability list, and a comfortable balance left in the bank," remarks the Lethbridge Herald.

Sugar Factory For Winnipeg

Winnipeg is to have a new sugar refinery, according to A. E. Allison, pioneer resident of Winnipeg, just back from a sojourn in Montana. American and Canadian capital are jointly involved, he says, adding that, the opinion of the promoters, Winnipeg is the ideal site for a beet sugar refinery.

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Must Be Ratified

By All Parliaments

Britain Alone Cannot Effect Change in King's Title

With reference to the proposed change in the King's title as recommended by the Imperial Conference in which the term "United Kingdom" is dropped and the title made to read: "George, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions Beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India." The Manchester Guardian's political correspondent in London asserts that the British Parliament alone cannot effect the alteration.

It will be necessary, he says, to pass an identical act in the Irish Free State Parliament and every Dominion Parliament before the new title becomes effective.

Building Better Roads

In Saskatchewan

This Year 450 Miles Were Graded in Province

When the road-building season closed, 122 contractors who have been working in Saskatchewan this year finished approximately 450 miles of newly-graded roads at an estimated expenditure of \$400,000. This will make a total of about 2,000 miles of the program mapped out by the department some years ago, which will be completed when about 7,000 miles of trunk roads have been completed.

The mileage this year is spread over a wide area in Saskatchewan. Where roads were most needed, there the contractors were sent, say officials, and reports of the department of highways indicate every mile of road has been built to specification.

No More Asthma. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's

Asthma Remedy. Sounds the death knell of the old trying therapy. It stops the awful choking and painful breathing. It guards against night attacks and restores the ability to sleep and rest the whole night long. Much is claimed for this remedy, but nothing is more true. It is a remedy, a trial. If you suffer from asthma try it and convince yourself of its great value.

Impossible to Deny Finger-Print Evidence

Convicted Man Three Years After Crime Was Committed

Fingerprints discovered nearly three years after the crime of Otto Salm, left them on a window frame in committing a murder at 143 Oeynhausen, Germany, proved sufficient to bring the crime home to him when he was arraigned at the present term of court.

Robert Becker, a young bait attendant at the Oeynhausen Spa, was shot and killed on July 6, 1923, by burglars who had broken into the building he was guarding. Suspected of the crime, Becker, and a companion, Heinrich Krueger, were arrested and tried but acquitted because of insufficient evidence.

The police recently made a new examination of the murder chamber, which had been "virtually untouched. High up on a window frame an expert discovered fingerprints, still distinct although evidently made a long time before. Comparison with those of Sehncke on the police records showed that they were his. Re-arrested and confronted with the finger-print evidence, Sehncke broke down and confessed.

Win Many Prizes

Exhibitors of Saskatchewan won 165 prizes at the Royal Winter Fair record. The list includes 132 prizes won by livestock, 28 high honors won by seed grain exhibits and four prizes by poultry exhibits. In livestock alone Saskatchewan exhibits captured 10 championships, 21 reserve championships, 37 first prizes, 16 seconds and 59 other awards.

For Frost Bites and Chilblains.

Chilblains come from undue exposure to attack and frost-bites from the icy winds of winter. In the treatment of either an excellent preparation is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, as it counteracts the inflammation and relieves the pain. The action of the oil is immediate and its application is extremely simple.

Most Densely Populated Country

Belgium is one of the most densely populated countries of the world. The average population to a square mile is 929. In Belgium it is 583; in Holland, 400; in Great Britain, 342; in Japan, 217; in Italy, 294; in Germany, 290; in France, 193; in Russia, in Europe the average is 50 to a square mile, but in Russia, in Asia, it is only a little more than three.

A seventy-seven-year-old missionary in Formosa has undertaken the task of translating the Old Testament into the Amoy dialect. He expects to finish his work in three years.

Keep Minard's Liniment for the House.

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To Aid Berlin Police

Special Auto Equipped With All Modern Means for Investigating Crimes

Berlin's new "murder auto" has been put into service. Its object is not to play people as its name indicates, but to enable the police to detect crime. The auto is fitted with cameras, searchlights to find, every thing a modern Sherlock Holmes needs to run down criminals. Special lights and a special gun give traffic officers the signal to clear the way for the special car, which is immune from speed regulations.

Detectives believe clues are often lost because of the time interval between the crime and their arrival on the scene. The present means of transport enables the officers, with all desired equipment, to begin their investigations in the shortest possible time after they are notified.

For Burns and Scalds.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will take the fire out of a burn or scald. It should be at hand in every kitchen so that it may be applied at any time. There is no preparation required. Just apply the oil to the burn or scald and the pain will subside and in a short time cease altogether.

Wonderful Future For Radio

Marconi Predicts Future Progress Will Be More Startling

Peering a quarter of a century into the future of radio, William Marconi, on the eve of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his invention of radio, predicted progress that perhaps will be even more startling. During the next 25 years, he said, "there will probably be almost as great development in the means of obtaining directional wireless transmission and reception as there have been in other directions during the last 25 years."

He expressed the opinion that the transmission of power over moderate distances may be developed and that, television may become an actuality.

Northern Dog Derby

Feature Event of Winter Carnival Held at The Pas, Man.

Citizens in this northern part of Manitoba are awaiting the coming Dog Derby with lively anticipation. It is the feature event of the Winter Carnival to be held on January 25th, 26th and 27th—the tenth annual dog race. Fears of an international competitor are spurring the husky owners to special efforts for it is expected that Leonard Sapella, with his famous team of mammoths, will try for the \$1,000 prize. Another strong entrant will be Emil Sioddard, The Pas musher, who made the record time for the course. The race will be run 49 miles a day for three days.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when a simple remedy as Holloway's Corn Remover is available.

Big Order for Rose Bushes

H. M. Eddie, of Sarnia, B.C., the rose king of Canada, has received an order for 50,000 rose bushes from the Government. It takes them in all an order of that size, and the roses will be shipped in 1923—two carloads of them. It is the biggest order of its kind that has ever been received by the Pacific Coast.

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MONARCHISTS IN GERMANY BUILD UP SECRET ARMY

Berlin.—Charges made in the Reichstag that a secret monarchist military elite is building up a huge illegal reserve army in Germany with millions of rifles and machine guns hoarded in Germany and Russia faced the bourgeois coalition cabinet of Chancellor Marx.

Philipp Scheidemann, head of the Socialist Democrats, whose accusations produced bedlam in the Reichstag, demanded that the present cabinet be replaced by one in which every member was Republican.

He presented a motion of non-confidence in the government but the fate of the cabinet remained in the hands of the Reichstag adjourned.

Denouncing Soviet Russia for giving moral, if not financial, support to German militarists, he declared that as late as last September and October, four ships landed at Stettin, Leningrad with munitions manufactured in Russia for a secret German army.

While the Nationalists shouted: "Traitor! Blackguard! That's treason and Chancellor Marx, Communist members and others denied the truth of the charge. Scheidemann cited names, places and figures which he said showed that defense minister Gessler was a "tool of the monarchist junkers."

As Scheidemann made his accusations the Nationalists, pointing to the diplomatic box in which foreign representatives were seated, cried: "We're real these things to our enemies!" They then left the chamber.

Scheidemann charged that a secret military chief of staff existed in the ministry of war, which since 1922, collected 70,000,000 marks annually for the secret manufacture of arms and the establishment of a junkers airplane factory in Moscow, which went out of business after building several hundred planes for Germany.

"The German people want peace and reconciliation with the allies," he declared, "but the military activities of the Nationalist elements endanger that peace."

Making Every Effort To Move Damp Grain

Estimated 25,000,000 Bushels Still in Elevators and Farmers' Hands
Winnipeg.—Stringent measures for the handling of damp grain not yet delivered by Western farmers for storage will not be taken at the present time, according to a statement issued here by J. Leslie Boyd, K.C., chairman of the Board of Grain Commissioners.

Following representations made to the board, and an investigation, it was stated everything possible would be done to facilitate the movement from the farm to elevators and if the situation became serious in the view of the board, emergency measures will be adopted. To speed up the movement of damp grain it has been decided that farmers and other grain interests will be supplied with cars out of turn on receipt of an affidavit which must accompany a request for such cars.

These applications will be accepted by Commissioner M. Snow, at the board's Winnipeg office.

The quantity of damp grain still in country elevators and in farmers' hands is estimated at 25,000,000 bushels, with the bulk of it in North Eastern and South Eastern Saskatchewan.

Christmas Gifts of Coal

London.—Christmas gifts of coal will be added to the usual remembrances given by King George V. to many of his neighbors at Windsor. Scarcity of coal fuel throughout England caused the announcement, issued at Buckingham palace, to the effect that all poor persons who passed 60 years and had lived 12 months or longer at Windsor would receive this additional gift.

New Minister to U.S.

Ottawa.—Honorable Vincent Massey, Canada's minister to the United States, will it is expected, take up his work in Washington some time late in January. Mr. Massey has been in Ottawa for several days and it is understood he has been arranging details of the Washington legation with the department of external affairs.

Revenue From Gold Refining

Ottawa.—A revenue of about \$75,000 for refining gold from Ontario mines will likely accrue this year, according to A. J. Baker, chief clerk of the Royal Mint here, in an address to a local club. Mr. Baker said that gold is expected to be refined at the rate of two million dollars a month.

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The Christmas Tree

Custom Apparently Originated in Germany in the Seventeenth Century

London.—The origin of the Christmas tree is said to centre on the use of two elements—the old Roman custom of decking houses, with laurels and green trees at the Kalends of January, and the popular belief that every Christmas, all apple and other trees blossomed and bore fruit.

In England there is an old belief in trees blossoming at Christmas connected with the well-known legend of St. Joseph of Arimathea. When the Saint settled at Glastonbury, he planted his staff in the earth and it put forth leaves. Moreover, it blossomed every Christmas Day.

The first historical mention of the Christmas tree is found in notes of a certain Strasbourg citizen of unknown name written in the year 1665. "At Christmas," he writes, "they set up fir trees in the parlors at Strasbourg and hung thereon, rows cut out of many colored papers, apples, wafers, gold foil and sweets."

The Christmas tree was introduced into France in 1840. In 1890 between 30,000 and 35,000 are said to have been sold in Paris.

In England it is alluded to in 1789, but its use did not become at all general until 1840 when Queen Victoria and Prince Albert had a Christmas tree.

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Foresee Increase In British Immigration

Applications Already Received Nearly Double Those of Last Year
London.—Immigration from Britain to Canada next year will show a record increase, in the opinion of J. Bruce Walker.

The applications already received are double those for the corresponding period of last year, and although many may not fulfill the qualifications demanded and therefore must be eliminated, those in closest touch with the situation believe that the net result will be a tremendous increase in immigration.

Mr. Bruce Walker refuses to estimate the actual numbers, saying it is impossible to do so at present but expresses himself as being very pleased with the prospects, particularly with regard to family emigration. It is obvious also that the coal mines will never be able to absorb the 300,000 men who are now out of employment, and this should serve to stimulate emigration.

FEDERAL HOUSE IS ADJOURNED TILL FEBRUARY 8

Ottawa.—Final reading, was given in the House of Commons to the supply bill totalling \$41,500,350, representing the balance of the amount of the estimates for the fiscal year ended March 31 next. Business of the House was then suspended, when the Commons adjourned to the Senate chamber, where the Royal assent of the Deputy Governor-General was given the supply bill.

The bill was given royal assent in the Senate by Chief Justice S. A. Anglin. It passed both Senate and House of Commons shortly before the ceremony.

Immediately afterward the commons re-assembled, and formally adjourned for Christmas recess.

In the course of the brief discussion on the bill, J. R. Woodworth, Labor, Winnipeg North Centre, declared protests already had been made by organized bodies of labor and farmers against the policy of debt training.

He asked that the Minister, National Defence, Hon. J. I. Haislop, to take these protests into consideration in the preparation of next year's estimates.

When the House opened, the motion fixing the date when the members would re-assemble after the Christmas recess as February 8, was carried.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Conservative leader, suggested the date be made earlier, but Premier King explained the intervening time was required by the Government to prepare the business to be proceeded with when the House reopens.

Will Meet February 10
Ottawa.—The Alberta Legislature will meet February 10. This date has been definitely fixed by the Government with a proviso that it may be postponed one week if conditions now unexpected make it necessary.

Preparations will be made at once for the earlier date and officers will be sent members in the usual course.

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Divorce News Banned

Newspapers of Great Britain Not Permitted to Publish Details

London.—Newspapers of Great Britain in the immediate future will be prohibited the publication of details of divorce cases and other matrimonial court cases as soon as the King carries out the formality of signing a bill which passed its final stage in Parliament.

The bill as adopted by the House of Commons several days ago provides that the proprietor, editor, master printer or publisher of any offending paper will be liable to four months' imprisonment and a fine of \$2,500. The House of Lords inserted an amendment to extend the printer of legal pleadings. This amendment was accepted by the Commons.

Receive Government Grant

Alberta Gives \$2,500 to Empire Metallurgical Congress

Edmonton.—A grant of \$2,500 has been made by the provincial Government to the Metallurgical Congress of the Empire, which is to visit Alberta next summer, in the course of a Canadian tour. The meeting of this body will begin in the East, August 22, and some time in the following month the delegates will come to this province. They will have an Alberta itinerary covering Edmonton, Jasper Park, Coal Branch, Sturton, Lethbridge, Turner Valley and Banff and Crow's Nest Pass, at each of which points they will make stops of varying length.

Manitoba's Population

Estimated Population is now Placed at 639,056

Ottawa.—Manitoba's population is estimated at 639,056 in a bulletin issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This represents an increase of 28,938 over 1921. Urban population has increased by 16,579 and rural population by 12,359.

This year's figures are divided between an urban population of 578,195 and a rural population of 60,861. The following is the present population of Manitoba's cities: Winnipeg, 191,398; Brandon, 16,443; St. Boniface, 14,187; and Portage la Prairie, 6,513.

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BIG PROGRAM OF RAILWAY WORK IS CONTEMPLATED

Ottawa.—Canada is likely to see a pretentious program of railway construction work next year. In spite of the constant talk of too much railway mileage, Ottawa hears that there is to be a regular wholesale push into the wide open spaces. The Canadian National Railway's program is said to include a tap into the Peace River valley which has sprung into so much prominence lately. If the C.N.R. gets this line from Parliament to build this line it will probably be a regular main line job, as the authorities have come to have unbounded faith in this new project.

Other C.N.R. proposals are not yet ready for presentation to Parliament, but as the three-year program of branch line construction has been practically wound up it is expected that another three-year plan has been drawn which may include as many as a dozen branches in the West.

The C.P.R. is confining itself almost exclusively to Western work this year. Among the lines it proposes to build, and for which it is asking sanction of Parliament in a petition presented to the Senate, are several in Saskatchewan. Its program for the West follows:

(A) From a point of connection with its proposed Rosemary north branch in the province of Alberta.

(B) From a point at or near Lloydminster, on its Cutknife-Whitford Lake branch in the province of Saskatchewan.

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WESTERN COAL RATES HEARING IS SET ASIDE

Ottawa.—The board of railway commissioners has refused the application of Alberta and Ontario to set an early date for the hearing of the coal rates case, whereby the two provinces asked for early consideration of the freight rates on Alberta coal coming East. If later developments indicate a great urgency in this matter, the board may reconsider its ruling, it was announced.

Chief Commissioner McKee announced that after carefully weighing the pros and cons the board was unable to find sufficient reason for stopping the general freight rates investigation, now under way, which has already been in progress for a year and a half. He was not unimpressed with the argument that legislation at the present session might be necessary and if later on developments emphasized this probability the board might give the question further consideration, but in the meantime the application would be refused.

Toronto.—When informed that the board of railway commissioners at Ottawa, had refused the application of Alberta and Ontario to set an early date for a hearing of their coal rates case, Premier Howard Ferguson of Ontario declared that Ontario would immediately demand a hearing, and that her application on fresh grounds which he termed both "urgent" and "extraordinary."

"This thing is too important to drop," Mr. Ferguson said, "and we are going to push it to the limit. We want to get this rate settled so that we can start to haul coal—it is still obtainable—while the rolling stock is free. Once I hear from our counsel at Ottawa I will have something further to say on this matter."

The Prime Minister stated that the coal rates question, especially as it applied to shipments into Ontario from Alberta and Nova Scotia, would again be the subject of a conference to be held in Toronto shortly after the New Year. If not before—Premier J. B. Brownlee, of Alberta, will attend and express his views on the western angle of the situation.

No doubt the officials yet to be named, are also likely to be present.

Home Grown Christmas Gifts

Suggestion is Made as a Means of Promoting Trade

Ottawa.—As a means of promoting trade between Canada and other quarters of the British Empire, the western department of the interior is urging that "home-grown products make excellent Christmas gifts."

In this connection the lead of the New Zealand dairy produce board, which suggested to citizens the dominion that they send New Zealand butter to friends in Great Britain as a present, is being followed. Four-pound carous are specified by the produce board, and a deposit not more than \$1.00 is suggested so that those who wish to follow the suggestion may send their money and the name and address to which they wish the parcel sent, and all the details are attended to without further trouble to them. The idea is to give consumers and much valuable publicity will have been created, without extra cost to anyone.

The natural resources intelligence service of the Canadian department of the interior points out that this suggestion might well be copied by individuals in Canada, since probably no country possesses more distinctively natural products. Canadian dairy products are as high as those of New Zealand, while her apples, maple sugar products and furs are possibly in a class by themselves.

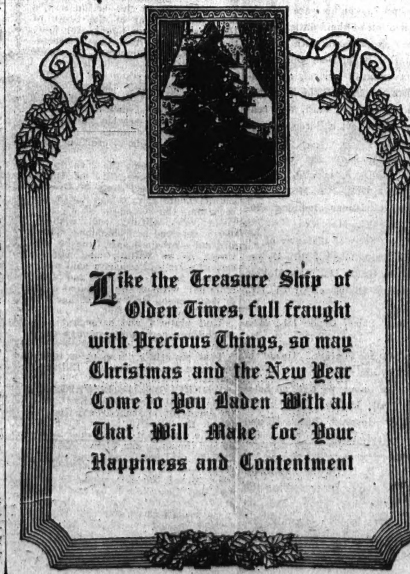
Will Form Grain Pool

Ontario Organization Will Operate With Pools in Western Provinces

Toronto.—A wide flung energetic organization, extending from one end of the province to the other, the grain pool of the United Farmers of Ontario will be established early next year, it is expected.

Harry A. Gilroy, of Aylmer, president of the U.F.O. Cooperative Society, declared in an interview recently that it is planned to organize a grain pool and not to sell wheat alone. Thus the farmers of Ontario will follow the lead of their brother agriculturists in the Western provinces.

"We expect to begin organizing the pool immediately after the New Year," he said. "Our plan is to work in close co-operation with the pools in the three Western provinces and co-operate with their selling organization at Winnipeg as another unit of their association."



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Coleman, Alta., 15th Dec. 1926

The Editor,
The Blairmore Enterprise,
Blairmore, Alta.

Dear Sir:

In reply to a letter appearing in the Nov. 25th issue of The Coleman Journal, over the signature of that distinguished apostle of labor, D. Gillespie, secretary of the local union (and styled) of the Mine Workers Union of Canada.

Mr. Gillespie introduces his subject by calling attention to a manifesto issued by John Brophy, a candidate for the office of International President, United Mine Workers of America. This particular manifesto first saw the light of day in the columns of the National Labor Tribune, the official newspaper of the Pittsburgh Coal Co., an organization so vitally interested in the welfare of its employees that it is enthusiastically boosting the candidature of Mr. Brophy.

This manifesto of Mr. Brophy—which by the way occupies two-thirds of the space used in our ichthyic friend's communication—has been replied to, not only by John L. Lewis, but by Phillip Murray, International Vice-President, District Vice-President Marks, Secretary Gilbert and Yak Board Member John Gilzon, all of District No. 2, of Central Pennsylvania. Mr. Brophy's own district, and I imagine will be more fully and sympathetically replied to on Dec. 14th, International election day.

These individual replies, over the signatures of the writers, appeared in various trade union periodicals, and when Mr. Gillespie intimates that John L. Lewis has not replied to the manifesto, it can only be assumed that he is wilfully suppressing facts or that his exalted position in his straitened "Onion" makes it a matter of difficulty for him to obtain a copy of a recognized labor publication. None of these replies appeared in the columns of the official mouthpiece of the Pittsburgh Coal Co., or the Coal Age—lack of space—so that may be the reason our esteemed friend is assuming the Brophy manifesto remained unquestioned and unanswered.

Our complaisant secretary (I use the word "our" advisedly, being a conscript member to this amorphous monstrosity, masquerading as a labor union) then proceeds to compliment the Editor of The Coleman Journal upon his having the best interests of the community at heart. If Mr. Gillespie had used the expression "the best interests of the local coal companies at heart", popular opinion would have been unanimous. As far back as I can recollect, the slogan of The Coleman Journal has been "Wage reductions with promises of steady work."

Not to be outdone in courtesy, the genial editor of our "Reduction Rag" in a subsequent issue proceeds to compliment "Dave" in turn. "Dave has been here, there and everywhere, straightening out the numerous knotty problems arising out of the disaster at the McGillivray mine a few weeks ago." Another case of locking the stable door after the steed was stolen, is it not?

With regard to Mr. Gillespie's statement that a certain clique are endeavoring to force upon the miners of Alberta the U.M.W.A., I must say that I am somewhat appalled at his audacity in mentioning the word force.

I suggest, Mr. Editor, that not 30 per cent of the membership of the Mine Workers Union of Canada are today voluntarily members of that lunatic organization.

Would our astute secretary care to inform the public of the details of the barter with the various coal com-

panies, or the consideration furnished for a close-shop policy? Well "dina na fash yerse!" Dave, the U.M.W. will never be forced upon you, a though I expect you will probably sprain your wrist writing applications for membership.

With regard to a certain clique that word seems strangely familiar—I can safely assure him that the notorious "cut-rate" clique with their Sinophitic policy, are still clicking away as usual on Dave's side of the fence.

Regarding the re-organization of the U.M.W.A. in this field, and in fairness to the officials of that body, I may say that this action has been taken in response to numerous appeals (my own among them) to the district office in Calgary, by the men themselves, and in numerous cases by men who were formerly opposed to the U.M.W.

These latter frankly admitted that they were desirous of giving the Mine Workers Union of Canada a fair trial, with the result that in the short space of a year, the companies had imposed such intolerable conditions and so reduced their earning powers, that with the exception of a favored few, they were simply existing from hand to mouth and in numerous cases practically destitute. Apparently these men have been thinking for themselves and Mr. Gillespie's kind invitation to do so is like some of their accounts, a drive in arrears.

When the genial Dave casually referred to parasites (another strangely familiar word) he evidently had forgotten the old adage: "People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones."

Would Mr. Gillespie kindly inform us in a few words—very few will be required—of what he has done for the benefit of his members in return for the salary he has been drawing.

He need not mention pit-committee work, as he did not have many opportunities of displaying his abilities in that line, the membership being of the opinion that it was a rather dubious proposition to send the pit-committee to interview the management. They might bring back another wage reduction.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the use of your columns, I am,

Yours very truly,

I. OTTANO.

LOCAL ELKS' ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREAT

The big attraction yesterday was the Elks' Annual Christmas Treat. Santa Claus arrived at the Sartoris & Biell's livery barn about 9 o'clock last night, and in a few minutes was found forcing his way through a throng of seven hundred children at the opera house, carrying no less than that number of parcels of Christmas Cheer. None were overlooked on this occasion and the kiddies were brought to a realization of their anticipations when they shook hands with and accepted parcels from Dear Old Santa.

Prior to Santa's arrival, a splendid programme, under the direction of the local teaching staff, was rendered by the school children, as follows:

Holy Night, song and tableaux, Grade VII, Miss Fitzgerald.
Folk Dance, Grade VI, Miss Cox.
Trials of Christmas Shopping, dialogue, Grade VI, Miss Cox.
Christmas Secrets, dialogue of 20 to 25 minutes, Grade V, Miss Hyson.
Bell Drill, Grade IV, Miss McVey.
Interrupted Dialogue, Grade III, Miss Pozzi.
The Baby Show, Grade III, Miss Pozzi.
Recitation in Concert, Grade I, Mrs. Kettley and Miss Hall.
Charleston Dance, by Evelyn Semeris of Grade I, Miss Hall.
The Dolls' Hospital, Grades II and III, Miss MacDonald.

Mayor W. D. L. Hardie has again been elected mayor, after serving the city of Lethbridge for upwards of fourteen years in that capacity. Dr. Lovering failed in his second attempt to attain the mayoralty.

CROWS' NEST PASS HOCKEY LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1935-1937

FIRST SECTION

Thu. Dec. 23—Coleman at Lethbridge
Mon. Dec. 27—Lethbridge at Bellevue
Tue. Dec. 28—Blairmore at Coleman
Mon. Jan. 3—Coleman at Blairmore
Tue. Jan. 4—Bellevue at Lethbridge
Fri. Jan. 7—Lethbridge at Coleman
Mon. Jan. 10—Coleman at Bellevue
Tue. Jan. 11—Blairmore at Lethbridge
Fri. Jan. 14—Bellevue at Coleman
Mon. Jan. 17—Lethbridge at Blairmore
Thu. Jan. 20—Blairmore at Bellevue

SECOND SECTION

Mon. Jan. 24—Lethbridge at Bellevue
Tue. Jan. 25—Blairmore at Coleman
Sat. Jan. 29—Lethbridge at Lethbridge
Mon. Jan. 31—Coleman at Blairmore
Wed. Feb. 2—Lethbridge at Coleman
Thu. Feb. 3—Blairmore at Bellevue
Sat. Feb. 5—Coleman at Lethbridge
Mon. Feb. 7—Bellevue at Blairmore
Thu. Feb. 10—Coleman at Bellevue
Sat. Feb. 12—Blairmore at Lethbridge
Mon. Feb. 14—Bellevue at Coleman
Tue. Feb. 15—Lethbridge at Blairmore

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GEM

LILLIAN C. SMITH,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
JOHN EVANS SMITH,
Defendant.

DECRE

This cause came regularly on to be heard in open court upon the 26th day of November, 1935, upon the complaint of the plaintiff herein taken as confessed by the defendant (or failing to answer the said complaint, E. P. Barnes, attorney at law, appearing as confessed by the defendant) and not appearing either in person or by counsel or otherwise, at which time, after due proceedings had, it was proven to the Court and the Court found that due and legal notice of said action had been given the defendant in accordance with law and the orders of the Court; that the defendant had failed to appear either in person or by counsel and had failed to file any pleading in said cause and that the default of the defendant John Evans Smith, had been duly and regularly entered herein, whereupon the Court did proceed to hear the evidence submitted upon the part of the plaintiff in support of the allegations of the complaint. Whereupon oral and written evidence was introduced on the part of the plaintiff and thereupon the matter was submitted to the Court for consideration. The Court, having heard all the evidence and proof presented by and on behalf of the same, and being fully advised in the premises, and it appearing to the Court that the Court the summons in said action has been duly and regularly served upon the defendant and the defendant has been duly and regularly summoned to answer under plaintiff's complaint and that a copy of the complaint and summons in said action was personally received by the defendant by registered mail which said copy of the complaint and summons was mailed to defendant by order of Court as a part of the order for publication of Summons herein, and that due and sufficient proof has been produced herein of all matters and things as required by law.

That plaintiff and defendant intermarried at Blairmore, Alberta, Canada, on or about the 25th day of March, 1925.

That plaintiff is and for more than one year immediately preceding the commencement of this action was, a bona fide resident of the State of Idaho, and of Gem County for more than six months immediately preceding the commencement of the above entitled action.

That for more than one year immediately preceding the commencement of the above entitled action the defendant John Evans Smith failed and neglected to provide for plaintiff the common necessities of life, by reason of his idleness, profligacy and dissipation.

That on or about the 25th day of June, 1925, in the City of Burns, County of Harney, State of Oregon, the defendant John Evans Smith, regarding the solemnity of his marriage vows, wilfully and without cause, deserted and abandoned plaintiff and ever since said time he continues to so wilfully and without cause desert and abandon said plaintiff and to live separately and apart from her, without any sufficient cause or any reason and against her will and without her consent.

That plaintiff and defendant have no children and no community property.

That plaintiff's name, prior to her marriage to defendant was Lillian C. Evans.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff Lillian C. Smith and the defendant John Evans Smith, be and the same are, hereby dissolved and the said parties are, and each of them, is freed and absolutely released from all of the obligations thereof, and that the plaintiff be and she is hereby restored to her maiden name of Lillian C. Evans.

Done in open court this 26th day of November, 1935.

(Signed) ED. L. BRYAN,
Judge of the District Court.

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Local and General Items

Mark Spencer has been re-elected mayor of Cardston by acclamation.

Messrs J. E. Gillis and Harry Burns were business visitors to Calgary the early part of the week.

Mr. MacDonald, of Coleman, has been engaged to assist the local vendor during the Christmas season.

We regret that a number of Greetings were crowded out of our Christmas Number. Others appear in this issue.

Pete Charley and Roddy McDonald will meet in a ten-round boxing bout at Drumheller on the afternoon of Christmas Day.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Demoon, formerly of Knox Presbyterian church, Lethbridge, now of the United church at New Glasgow, N.S., is reported very seriously ill.

The date for the opening of the provincial legislature has been set for February 10th. It is expected that the session will not last more than six weeks.

C. J. Tompkins was the recipient a few days ago of a Christmas present in the form of a coat hanger and cigar lighter—a three-inch wire spike and a match—on behalf of the local Rummy Hounds' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. S. Whiteside, of Coleman, were visitors to Calgary over the week end and returned to Coleman this week, accompanied by their daughter, Adele, who has been attending boarding school at Vernon, B.C.

Nearly fifty carloads of Alberta turkeys are being shipped out of the province this year for outside market. The season has been a particularly encouraging one for the producers, the demand being keen and the prices good.

A death notice and an item referring to a man in the Drumheller district being fined under the Alberta Liquor Control Act, appeared on the sporting page of a Calgary daily a few days ago. Why should either be considered sport?

Mr. G. A. Passmore, local C.P.R. agent, held a pleasant twenty-minute conversation over the wire on Sunday night with his son Virgil in New York, who succeeded in getting direct connection with Blairmore, a distance of approximately 2000 miles by wire.

A deal has been put through at Pincher Creek, whereby Mr. B. Harris, owner and proprietor of the Arlington hotel, become also owner and proprietor of the King Edward hotel, the change to take effect on January 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Siple will take up residence elsewhere in Pincher Creek.

Mrs. A. Wyatt, convicted on a charge laid by one Nicoletti, for selling liquor without a license, appealed against the decision of Magistrate Henderson and won her case before His Honor Judge Thompson. As the case was largely instigated for spiteful reasons, Mrs. Wyatt is to be congratulated.—Fermie Free Press.

More than \$3,500,000 in profits from mining and smelting are to be distributed within a few weeks by two companies of the northwest. They are the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, which will disburse \$3,168,825, and the Premier Gold Mining Company, which will disburse \$400,000.—Fermie Free Press.

One of our Ontario exchanges remarks: "The promised reduction of five dollars on automobile licenses will take effect with the issue of the 1927 markers, which will be ready for distribution all over the province about December 15th. With approximately 340,000 passenger cars at present owned and operated throughout Ontario, this reduction will amount to some \$1,700,000 in the aggregate."

A wise man knows that he is foolish to fall in love close to Christmas time.

Hon. George P. Graham, minister of railways, has been appointed a senator.

Miss Muriel Wheatley is now night supervisor at the Calgary Isolation hospital.

John L. Lewis has been re-elected president of the United Mine Workers of America.

Mr. Cecil Anderson, of the Western Canada Wholesale Co., Fernie, is relieving Mr. Vaughn during the latter's holiday trip east.

Saturday next, Christmas Day, will be observed as a tag day for Juvenile Hockey in the Bellevue. Buy a tag and help encourage the kids.

Little Jack Scott received a severe bite on the leg by a dog on Monday evening, necessitating several stitches. The dog has since been destroyed.

Two Newfoundland girls, Misses Cedella and Vivian Guy, sisters, won a five-mile walking contest against 273 other contestants at Halifax recently. Time 49.53.

H. E. Brown, proprietor of the Seymour hotel at Hanna, was sentenced to sixty days at hard labor in Lethbridge jail for resisting the police in the discharge of duty.

Some men stick up for their convictions and others get convictions for their "stick ups."

A miner named Thomas Roddy was killed in the Seranton mine at Drumheller on Friday last.

Miles Tompkins arrived home from Spokane on Friday night, to spend Christmas with his parents.

Copies of The Enterprise Special Christmas Number may be had at The Enterprise office, or at the Bellevue or Blairmore drug stores.

The world's highest building, an office structure of 110 stories, towering 1298 feet above street level, will be built in the Times Square district of New York.

At the regular convention of Livingstone Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, tomorrow night, the election of officers will take place. All members are requested to be present.

Pat Burns, famous cattle king and head of the packing firm of P. Burns & Co., arrived home to Calgary from Montreal seriously ill with pneumonia. His condition is considered grave.

Joe Yoo, the popular chef at the P. Chardon cafe, had the misfortune to slash his hand through the slip of a knife on Sunday last. He is on the job, however, and "busy as a bug in a rug."

The "Turkey Trot" staged by the Blairmore Lodge of Elks in their hall on Monday night was not as well attended as might have been expected. Nevertheless, the affair was a success and much enjoyed.

During the past few weeks we have received orders from practically all parts of the three western provinces for Greeting Cards and have filled them satisfactorily. One of our customers, however, writes as follows: "You son-of-a-gun! I thought those Christmas cards would be here this morning. I had to send others to my fourteenth best girl in Ontario and my fifteenth best in New Brunswick this morning, and the seventeenth in Newfoundland and sixteenth in Blairmore will not get one at all."

An Elks' lodge was instituted at Big Valley on Friday night last.

The local school closed yesterday afternoon for the Christmas holidays and will re-open on Monday, January the 2nd.

At the regular meeting of the town council on Monday night, a number of accounts were passed for payment. The chief business of the session was the purchase of several hundred feet of fire hose, the order being left with

James Courts, representing the Chamber of Commerce.

She Was Right

The fortune-teller was sending cold streams of horror down her victim's back as she predicted the bad things in store for him in the immediate future.

"You will die in a year!" she blurted, at last. "This line in your palm tells me so."

"Help!" gasped the victim. "It surely cannot be as bad as that?" "As I said," continued the seer, "you will die in a year—but in what year I cannot say."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Swiss army now has gas masks equipped with reservoirs of oxygen that will last 14 hours.

Revenues of the four great railways of England has fallen by 25 million sterling during the six months of the coal stoppage.

The Post Office in Sweden is a money making institution, the net profits for the last year being \$2,271,217.65 or \$55 per inhabitant.

A new airplane engine developing 200 to 300 horse power, has been built at Glasgow. The power is obtained with great economy of petrol and oil. The propeller has a direct drive.

The War Department has instructed military commanders throughout Mexico to punish severely any persons discovered carrying out seditions of anti-Government propaganda.

The United States Senate has voted to open the immigration gates to 25,000 wives and minor children of aliens admitted prior to July 1, 1924, who have applied for naturalization.

Two torpedo boat destroyers, propelled by turbines are to be built in Italy for the Rumanian Government. The contract was let after an international competition.

President Adolfo Diaz, head of the Conservative forces in Nicaragua, has been recognized by the British Government, according to an announcement made by the Nicaraguan consular office.

Alberta will not be represented in Canada's next contingent of Rhodes scholars to Oxford. At a meeting of the Edmonton Rhodes Scholarship committee, it was decided not to make any appointment this year.

The United States is a happy land where politicians merely dispute the size of the treasury surplus and what to do with it. Sir Alfred Mond told the American chamber of commerce in London, at a luncheon in his honor.

Once Painted On Safe Doors

Work of C. M. Russell, Famous Artist, to be Preserved

Thirty-five years ago, the late Charles M. Russell was not so particular about the quality of his canvas as he became in later years, when his fame as a painter of western scenes brought him wealth and titled patronage.

In his earlier days, pictures bearing his initials and the now familiar mark—a bleached buffalo skull—might be found somewhere about the places he frequented, the work of his idle hours or the mark of his friendship. Many of these have disappeared but two, at least, acquired a degree of permanency. They were painted upon safe doors.

Since Russell's death, one entitled "The Antelope Hunt," a spirited and interesting scene, was found on the door of a vault in a now closed Lewiston bank. Another has come to light at a Great Falls garage, dated 1922. In the latter a solitary Indian brave is the principal figure.

It is planned to cut the steel with electric tools to preserve the paintings.

Were In Same Shell Hole

Prince Meets Padre He Last Saw on the Somme

During a 3-hours visit to Kingswood School at Bath the Prince of Wales laughed with the 218 boys in their dining hall and chatted with them in their work and play and was nearly drowned in the swimming bath display. The Prince laughed heartily when a story of his experiences in France during the war was related by the Rev. Owen E. Watkins, hon. secretary to the governors. It was not the first time he had met the Prince, he said—that was in a wood on the Somme. "I suppose," said Mr. Watkins, turning to the Prince and his father, "that you have doubtless forgotten, if you ever noticed, a disreputable, unshaven, unclean padre lying flat in the mud, feeling it was a very unpleasant kind of war and wondering if he would ever live to be able to swank that he had shared a shell-hole with the Prince."

Felt She Was Cheated

"What's the trouble, Mrs. Barr?" the grocer asked the young bride who had stormed into his store.

"The bread is cheap," was the reply "I ordered mackerel for dinner, and all the delivery boy brought me was a lot of empty tins!"

Edmonton Has Received Air Port
The city of Edmonton has been officially licensed as an Air Port, and has the first municipal air port in Canada. A custom's air port has also been established.

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Has Unusual Form

Naturalist Releases Frogs and Has Learned Interesting Things About Them

Frogs' legs are a delicacy that fetch high prices on the American market. This has induced a naturalist, Paul Hendrich, to start a frog farm.

Incidentally he has made a biological study of frogs, and has discovered many facts about them hitherto unknown to biologists. He states that frogs are the cleanest creatures in the world. They thrive on insect life, but will eat almost any live food. They do not chew their food but swallow it whole.

Frogs are never sick, and are fearless. A bull frog has been known to kill a rat. They are cannibals, and it is necessary to keep the young away from the adults.

Mr. Hendrich has equipped his farm with electric lamps near the ground. The light attracts insects, so that the frogs have plenty of the food they love.

He estimates that an acre farm will produce 18,000 frogs a year, a very profitable investment provided that the sale for frogs' legs keeps pace with the supply. The delivery does not appear on the ordinary restaurant menu.

Radiated Light Necessary

Impossible to Live Without It Says

That all human existence is dependent upon the radiated light of the universe: from the stars, the sun and the reflections from the earth's surface and from radioactive substances, says the object of a demonstration by Professor Adolph Lanza, of the Berlin University, at the last meeting of the Berlin Medical Society.

"Human beings," said Prof. Lanza, "move about on earth in a 'bath of light,' but our present state of culture tends to exclude some of the most valuable, and effective of these rays of the universe."

"Men, compared to women, by reason of their modern clothing, live in an extremely unfavorable state of temperature, whereas present day women's clothing has improved the general state of health to such a degree that the once so prevalent anaemia has to have entirely disappeared."

Will Practice in China

Chinese Girl Passes Solicitor's Final Examination in London

One of the happiest women in London is Miss Kathleen Hoehling, aged 23, the first Chinese woman to pass the solicitor's final examination. At the end of November she completed serving her articles to a London firm of solicitors, and will be fully qualified. "I want to go out East and start a practice of my own," she said, "perhaps in Singapore, where I have an uncle who is a barrister." Born in British Gylana, Miss Hoehling was educated at a convent school there, and when she came to England seven years ago finished her education at Salisbury. Afterwards she studied for a time at an agricultural college in Kent, and then became articled.

Her mother was the first Chinese woman to become a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland.

B.C. Horticulturalist for East

The appointment of Professor W. A. Middleton, of British Columbia, as provincial horticulturalist for Nova Scotia, is announced by J. A. Walker, minister of natural resources and provincial development in Nova Scotia. Professor Middleton will commence his duties in January.

Women and Smoking

According to a Johns Hopkins professor, smoking makes men more dependable, but the "scientist" admits that he has no data on lady smokers. If we are any judge it makes women more dependable, rather than dependable especially in the matter of matches.

Lutheran Immigrants Coming

The Lutheran Immigration Board of Canada set an objective of 10,000 Lutheran immigrants to Canada in 1927 at the annual meeting. Among the speakers present was Col. J. S. Dennis, Chief Commissioner of the Department of Colonization and Development, Canadian Pacific Railway.

Hilda (married a fortnight): "I do think it was kind of Mr. Dan to give me a wedding present. We scarcely know him."

Jack: "Oh, well, you see, I sent a wreath when his wife died. I suppose it was a case of 'I thought of him in his trouble, so he thought of me in mine!'"

It is easier to renew a good resolution than a promissory note.

A candy is made in China of sugar and rose petals.

Marine Slays Comrade

Dressed Up as a Ghost, John Turner Was Tragedy

John W. Most, headstrong recruit of 17 in the British Royal Marines, upheld tradition of the "soldiers of the sea" when he challenged and killed a ghost while on sentry duty.

The ghost had just died. Most told the story at the inquest on James W. Smith, 26, also a marine, who was the "ghost."

Smith dressed up in a sheet and tried to frighten Most. He did, but Most did not admit it at the time.

"I was on sentry duty," said Most, "when a white figure advanced calling out 'sentry.' I thought it was a ghost, but as my orders were to let no one pass, I challenged it. At the third challenge the ghost rushed at me and landed on my bayonet. I pulled out the bayonet and the ghost ran away. I chased it, but could not catch it."

Smith died after three weeks in hospital. Marine officers incidentally testified that Most had done his duty.

Broadcast Street Cries

Calls of English Hucksters Were Heard Over Radio

Ancient and modern English street cries were broadcast from the Manchester station of the British Broadcasting Company.

Street cries of England are strange and interesting. The grimy chimney sweep, the rag and bone man, flower girls and purveyors of coal, wood and foodstuffs form a constant procession through the streets, each with a peculiar song or cry.

Some of these cries have been shouted down from generation to generation. They have been broadcast together with customary street noises and dialogues.



A stunning one-piece frock is pictured here, expressed in flannel with all the fashion interest centered in the front, leaving the back plain, in the new manner. These set-in plaques added width to the lower part of the skirt. The deep V-necked front and pocket are of the latest mode, while the round collar and fared cuffs may be trimmed with frilling. Buttons are an important feature. This costume adorns this attractive model and a ribbon girdle crushed into a front closure buckles adds a final air of chic. No. 1479 is for misses and is in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 requires repairs 2 1/2 yards 36-inch material, or 2 1/2 yards 34-inch; 2 1/2 yards 36-inch ribbon for frilling, and 1 1/2 yards 6-inch ribbon for belt. 20 cents.

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New C.N.R. Appointment

Albert T. Weldon

A circular issued by Sir Henry W. Thornton, chairman and president, Canadian National Railways, announces the appointment of Albert T. Weldon as vice-president in charge of traffic and express on the system.

John E. Dalrymple, resigned, Mr. Weldon has been general traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, a position which will be abolished.

The vice-president has been well known for a number of years past to the commercial communities of Canada. He was born at Dorchester, N.B., in 1876, and entered the employ of the old Intercolonial Railway as messenger at Moncton in 1890.

The next ten years were spent in various clerical capacities, mainly in the freight department and the freight claims department at Moncton. In December, 1901, he became chief clerk of the "Freight" Agent, Nova Scotia Division, with headquarters at Halifax. In 1904 he resigned from the railway to accept the position of secretary to the Halifax Board of Trade, and two years later was appointed general sales agent, Port Hood Coal Company, with headquarters at Port Hood. After being less than a year with the Port Hood Coal Company he again accepted a position with the Intercolonial Railway as division freight agent at Halifax, in charge of the Nova Scotia territory. He continued in this position for two years, and again resigned to accept a position with the Dominion Coal Company at Montreal, as general freight and passenger agent of what was then known as the Grand Trunk Steamship Line, operating between Montreal, Newfoundland and Gulf Ports.

In October, 1914, he again re-entered the service of the Intercolonial Railway in the capacity of assistant general freight agent with headquarters at Moncton, and in 1917 was appointed to the position of general freight agent of the Canadian Government Railways, and about one year from that time, when the amalgamation of the old Canadian, Northern and Canadian Government Lines, was appointed, first, assistant freight manager, with headquarters at Moncton, and a little later assistant freight manager of the east of Port Arthur, with headquarters at Montreal. He continued in this position until the final consolidation of the Canadian National in 1922, at which time he was appointed traffic manager, Atlantic Region, with supervision over both freight and passenger business, with headquarters at Moncton. Mr. Weldon was appointed to the office of general traffic manager of the system in August last.

Performs Great Mental Feat
Albert Tangora, American-born Italian, in a demonstration at the Technical High School, London, Ontario, mentally added figures totalling \$2,644 and simultaneously operated a typewriter continuously at 130 words a minute, intermingling his performance with conversation with members of the staff and a lecture to pupils.

Buy Sheep From Royal Ranch
Sheep from the Royal Ranch of Wales, a ranch south-west of Cardiff, are superior, according to Walter Charles Fridy, of the Corralles Sheep Co., Gridley, California. He has just purchased forty head of imported Shropshires from the Royal Ranch, as well as fifteen front foot fleeces in the district.

Proving His Devotion
Bill wrote the following note to his dear one:

"Brevens, apple of my eye, would do anything for you; swim the Atlantic, go through fire and hell for you, and would face the most terrible storm or hurricane for your sake."

"And by the way, I will come over tonight if it doesn't rain too hard."

Free scholarships are to be given to musicians who are willing to utilize their talent entreating the sick in New York hospitals.

Discover Secret Crypt

Believed to be Tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen's Queen

The latest information from Luxor reveals that the contents of the two inner chambers of Tut-Ankh-Amen's tomb, recently opened, by Howard Carter, are wonderfully beautiful.

Previous reports disclosed that the caches already extracted were found to contain, among other things, twenty golden figures, six sacred barques and a quantity of royal robes. It is now learned that more than thirty statues have been discovered, each having its own casket with folding doors, the latter being overlaid with gold leaf.

The barques are also sheathed with gold and come with precious stones, while on the pious stand figures of Tut-Ankh-Amen posed with a homing arrow in hand as if on a duck-hunting expedition. Representations of such expeditions exist in color in the mural decoration of the tomb in the neighborhood, but hitherto actual models such as the present have not been discovered intact.

A further unsuspected crypt has been discovered under the chamber containing the royal sarcophagus, the entrance to which is a shallow depth leads down directly under the sarcophagus itself. One can but conjecture what the subterranean chamber, or chambers may reveal, but by the care with which the entrance was secreted beneath a well-chiseled limestone block of stone, above it, it is conceivable that the examination in due course will be accompanied by an amazing discovery.

The secret crypt under the sarcophagus of Tut-Ankh-Amen may well be the mortuary chamber of his queen, Ankhesen-Amen, the daughter of Khunaten, the heretic King, through whom the youthful Pharaoh inherited the crown of Upper and Lower Egypt.

Egyptologists, from a study of the contents of the other chambers of the tomb, have expressed the opinion that the queen may have been buried with her royal husband.

The fact that Ankhesen-Amen survived the Pharaoh and her funeral rites were performed some years later, may explain the disordered condition of parts of the tomb. Hitherto it had been thought that this was the work of thieves, but surprise was expressed at the fact that such treasures were left behind.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
DECEMBER 26

CHRISTMAS LESSON: BIRTH OF OUR SAVIOUR

Golden Text: Behold I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all the people—Luke 2:10.

Lesson: Luke 2:20.

Devotional Reading: Micah 3:5-7.

Explanation and Comments

1. The Shepherds and the Angels. Verses 8-14.—Because God hides great things from the wise and prudent and reveals them unto babes, the greatest of his wonder was manifested in humble shepherds keeping watch over their flock by night. An angel of the Lord stood by them, so the beautiful story of the birth of our Lord was round about them. A sudden brightness and an angelic appearance terrified the shepherds until they heard the words: "Be not afraid; behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all the people."

"And the good tidings?—For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is the Lord."

And the sign that the truth had been spoken? The unusual speech of the angel, in a babe's cry.

"The angel does not simply say, 'Christ is born, but to you he is born; neither does he say, 'I bring glad tidings, but you, I bring glad tidings of great joy. Furthermore, this joy was to be to all people.' (Matthew 2:10.)"

"It is not so strange that shepherds should see lights and hear voices, but such lights and such voices combined into such a vision and such a song! Here is the real wonder; and the wonder is equally great if we make it subjective, for there was nothing in the common thought and expectation of the day that the vision was of the good news of God. If any one thinks otherwise, let him experiment with a few words of service and see if he will see or hear anything like the shepherd's vision or the angel's words." (Professor Jordan P. Bowen.)

China's Contributions Many.—China has given much to civilization including the wooden plough and silk culture, as far back as 2800 B.C., a calendar in 2500 B.C., the earliest bronzes and forms of writings in 2000 B.C., lyric poetry in 1200 B.C., and a delicate philosophy from Lao-tse, Confucius, Mo-tse and Mencius from 100 to 200 B.C. Tea, paper, block printing, movable type, the compass and paper machine followed.

Alberta Automobile Licenses.—The number of automobiles licensed in Alberta in the year's first ten months totalled 64,000, according to the figures of the Deputy Provincial Secretary. This adds 11,000 to last year's total.

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Proud Position Of
Canadian Agriculture

By G. W. Peterson

Canadian farmers receive, from time to time, a great deal of gratuitous advice from their city cousins on the virtue of studying efficiency in their calling and discarding old-fashioned methods. Sometimes there is a veiled hint to the effect that he is spending too much time in his automobile and otherwise neglecting his farm. Undoubtedly, some farmers are extravagant and probably are not working as hard as they should and their poor financial returns can generally be attributed to neglect of their business.

At any rate, the implication is, that the Canadian farmer is not "tending his knitting" as closely as his city brother, who is represented as the indefatigable "go-getter," who counts that day lost upon which he is unable to add one more touch to the perfection of his business or industrial machine.

Secretary Jardine, of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, said recently that during the past fifty years the number of persons engaged in farming in this country has increased eighty per cent, while the output of farm produce has increased 300 per cent. Notwithstanding all that is said concerning the opportunity to improve income by better methods of farming, a contemporary south of the line points out that the stubborn fact still remains that the American farmer has increased in efficiency, and what is more, he produces larger quantities of agricultural products per person than any farmer in the world.

What about the Canadian farmer? In 1870 we had two and a third million people engaged in agriculture, with an annual production of 243 million dollars. In 1925 we had a rural population of about 4,700,000 with a production of 1,453 million dollars, and that was a low crop year. Our increase of production in 55 years is 600 per cent, with an increase in rural population of approximately 100 per cent.

Our system of agriculture is almost precisely the same as in the United States with various minor variations. A man enormously in favor of the latter on account of higher prices. The Canadian farmer has apparently beaten even the United States increased gross rural production record hitherto.

There is no doubt that the Canadian farmer has increased his production of any such spectacular increase in per capita output as far as I am aware. The plain fact is, that the Canadian farmer evidently stands at the very top of world agriculture in production per acre, while we are on the subject, I might further point out that in the spheres of economy of management, hours of work and intensity of application, he can unquestionably teach the urban dweller very valuable lessons indeed. The farmer appreciates deeply an intelligent interest in his problems by all and sundry. But he is weary of unfeeling criticism. While there is always room for improvement, Canadian agriculture is evidently very efficient.

Canada is not, however, producing a sufficient volume of agricultural products for export to sustain and furnish full time employment to our urban population. This is where the economy of management and the matter of farm inefficiency, in other words, we want more farmers rather than better farmers. It will be found difficult to materially improve the very high standard of Canadian agriculture.

Russia Satisfied With Shipment Of Horses

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Strange, Romantic Love Adventures of the Slapper you know

Yvonne

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CHAPTER XXII.—Continued

"The thought of last night that bothers me is not so much your forgiveness, as the memory of others. That's what I want to talk about. She didn't reply, nor did he confuse. They rode in silence again, until they turned into a bridge path that went in among the trees in the Condamine, a path that had guided the Romans under Caesar to the hiding place of the Christian slave who has since become St. Devote, the patron saint of a sanctuary erected over the spot where she was captured and killed. It is a narrow path. The horses brushed each other as they threaded it. Suddenly Joanna said, softly:

"You love me very much, don't you, Teddy?"

And he answered, again shortly, "Yes."

"It's true, almost, isn't it?" she asked, still softly. "That you have stopped loving other women and being loved by them because of me?"

"He glanced at her, to see if she were tricking him. He decided she wasn't. "I used to think," he said, "that my mission in life was to love women, but I was mistaken. I've learned that it is better to love one woman, and put whatever qualities I have in her trust. So far I have considered Yvonne my duty. I've wanted you to be my mistress. But I've said that before, haven't I?"

"You have," she agreed, "but you always put some new inflection into it. You are good to look upon, Teddy. You are handsome as a man ought to be, and you are good to listen when you say you are in love. If I were married I couldn't resist you, I know."

Anger flamed in his eyes and he muttered an oath.

"Oh I am not fooling with you," she protested earnestly. "I am just reasoning about you. You always make me take you seriously, you know, and I wonder why."

"I hate gossip, Teddy. It's either true or it isn't—what are the things they are saying?"

"The obvious answer is, because I am actually serious. So much so, that I don't like what they are talking about today from one end of the River to the other—your escapade last night with Prince Michael, Kenilworth's fascination for you, and the affairs of Yvonne. It's getting nasty. I'd like to get you out of it."

Joanna's eyes surveyed the countryside, slowly, deliberately. The sparkle went out of her face, but there was no other sign that she was perturbed. When she was satisfied with her examination of the landscape, she turned again to the man who rode beside her.

"I hate gossip, Teddy. It's either true or it isn't and either way it isn't good. But you may tell me—one by one—what are the things they are saying?"

Another man might have hesitated because of the irony hidden in the girl's voice, but young Dominator was filled with his gravestone. The usual thing," he answered, "about the incident of the Russian. You left the

grounds with him at eleven o'clock just when his party was at its height and you didn't show up until hours later. The Prince inevitably mixes some vile Russian concoction in his punch, and in his brandies, and every one had more than enough of both. Their brains were receptive to only one conclusion when you showed up again. Especially when you took him away from Yvonne."

"Why especially for that, Teddy?"

"It gave them a chance to figure up again how many of Yvonne's lovers you have taken away from her. Prince Michael was the last of them. You've got them all now, the crowd concluded, and they are celebrating your climax in every whispering bonnet and every club bar room from Cannes to Ventimiglia. They make an uglier deal out of it because they know that when Yvonne gets ready to turn there'll be some kind of a crash. That's all."

"Not all, Teddy. There's Roddy. You mentioned him. What are they saying about him—and me?" Give it all to me while you're about it."

He waited a minute moodily, biting his lips, but whatever his hesitations he stubbornly put them aside.

"Yvonne Countess," he said, "is Kenilworth's handmaid. She was a decent sort until he showed her to fit his fancy. Whenever she struggles to get free of him he bends a finger and she breaks. It's generally agreed he is planning to do that to you."

CHAPTER XXIII.

Starting News

Had young Lord Dominator been looking into Joanna's face, when he flashed, he would have been puzzled by what he saw. She had been first white while he told her that "they" were saying she had stolen all of Yvonne Countess's lovers. Slowly the brown sheen of her eyes had crept back until they were almost black. The round red lips had set in a straight line. But Teddy didn't look at the girl beside him. The echo of his last words hardly had died when he went into a funk with himself. He looked straight ahead, between his mount's ears, and nervously cursed.

Teddy Dominator was not the kind to say that sort of thing about anybody, to anybody, much less repeat it as the gossip of others. He was sorry, and damned his lapses. When he did speak, timidly, at Joanna's side, he had cleared the brown had come back between her lips, and her lips had relaxed. She detected his chagrin at himself and was conscious of his sidelong glance. In mute acknowledgment of both she reached across with her riding crop and patted his sleeve lightly.

They came, just then, upon the approaches to the little wooden shrine of St. Devote. By common impulse, and, fortunately, they pulled up their mounts. Dominator held his hand for Joanna's foot as she stepped to the ground. He tied the bridle straps together and followed her when she stroiled to a stone bench under a cluster of peepers and ferns.

"I say," he exclaimed, shyly, "I'm cut up, you know, about popping off like that. I shouldn't have fouled Kenilworth, and as to Yvonne—"

She interrupted him. "And I shouldn't have asked you," she comforted him, "to tell me things people are saying. Because, you see, I have known right along. I was only curious to hear if there was anything new. That about Prince Michael and me was."

"Just the same," he insisted, "it was rotten of me. I'll have to see Kenilworth and tell him what I've said to you. It's the only way."

"You're a stickler for honor, aren't you, Teddy?"

"For the sporting thing anyway."

"I wonder, sometimes, if you don't think it's just the sporting thing to do, to make believe you are in love with me and that, if I'd let you, you'd make me your mistress and be as true as you could be for ever, best I'm vain, and wicked, and frivolous, you know, and I fancy you think it would be sporting to take charge of me, who am all alone and keep me out of the abyss!"

His protests were hot at his lips, and his throat was crammed with things he wanted to say. But her calm look invoked a sudden change of mood. While she waited for him to find words for which he seemed to be scraping the ground with his crop, the St. Devote woods were very peaceful, only the busy chatter of birds breaking the stillness.

"No," he said at last, slowly, as if he carefully weighed his conclusion, "there's nothing sporting about a man's regard for a woman. It's either honest or it's not. You can't make a sporting deal out of it either way. I've waited since that time a year ago when I stumbled onto you in Yvonne's dressing room in New York. I've seen you fight for understanding of all the crooked things that went on about you. I could have helped you learn, many times, but I knew you'd fathom everything in your own way. A little does that, nowadays. There's a lot, perhaps, that I don't know about what's really inside of you, but I've a heart that doesn't grieve over anything my eyes can't see. I wouldn't care, you know, whether you fell into the abyss, or whether you were so innocent 'you didn't know that anything that shouldn't be could be. How ever you are, I'd like, awfully, to have you marry me. I'm honestly in love with you."

(To Be Continued.)

Dog's Life All Round

Great Number of Animals Do Not Get Square Deal

The fashionable magazines which devote a large part of their space to fashions and beauty culture, now tell us that dogs belonging to the upplish class must now wear coats similar in pattern and hue to the coats worn by their owners. Likewise, the dog that would associate with the bon ton must have dinky collars and ties.

If we were a dog we would certainly feel that we'd led a dog's life if that were our fate. We would rather scrounge around picking up scraps among garbage cans and enjoying the liberty that is the right of a dog, than be pampered and befuddled and made the object of all the dog's ridicule in the neighborhood.

And if it's a dog's life to be a pet, it seems to be a dog's life sometimes to behave like a real dog.

Take the case reported in the newspapers the other day. A woman's lapdog companion was destroyed at the behest of a court. Why? All because he flew at somebody he thought was attacking her.

Perhaps he made a mistake, but if a dog doesn't come to the rescue of his mistress when attacked, what's the use of a dog at all? The probability is that if he didn't go, to her rescue he would be got rid of as a worthless cur.

It seems a dog's life all round.

Is French Lance-Corporal

Prince of Wales Belongs to Military School at St. Cyr

Since the Prince of Wales was made an "Anspesade" in the First Battalion of France on the occasion of his visit to the famous French military school at St. Cyr, on October 29, his name as called out on parade at every weekly roll-call, thus carrying out St. Cyr traditions to the full.

"Lance-Corporal the Prince of Wales" is regularly reported as "absent with leave, detached at the Court of St. James, King of England." The rank of Anspesade, equivalent to that of lance-corporal in the British Army, exists only in the St. Cyr Battalion, and only two other persons have been granted it since the cadet school was founded by Napoleon I. The word Anspesade is derived from the Italian *lancea*, originally meaning a non-commissioned officer in a foot regiment.

Result Of Bad Writing

Amusing Error Made by Duke of Wellington

Bad handwriting, against which the society for pure English has issued an appeal, was the cause of an amusing error on the part of Wellington. Mrs. Jane London, author of many popular books on gardening, wrote to the Iron Duke asking permission to sketch the Waterloo beeches in the site of Stratfield House. Her writing was far from clear, and the signature, "J. London" served to confuse the Duke, who insisted on doing all his own correspondence, as to her identity. The result was that he replied: "E. M. the Duke of Wellington presents his compliments to the Bishop of London. The Bishop is quite at liberty to sketch the beeches which the Duke wrote at Waterloo. If they can be found, but the Duke is not aware that they differ in any way from the beeches which he generally wears."

Forty-five bushels to the Acre

A Lord, a farmer in the Campbell Lake District, North of Vermilion, Alta., reports a yield netting him 6,000 bushels of No. 1 northern wheat, an average of forty-five bushels to the acre. This man states that he has been farming in this district for sixteen years and has threshed No. 1 wheat each year.

It is sometimes difficult to convince the head of the house that two heads are better than one.

For the Aged
SCOTT'S EMULSION
The food that sustains

Gave Generously To Charity

Queen Alexandra Did Not Spend Much on Herself

Popular impressions are that queens and princesses have wardrobes that would excite the envy and admiration of every woman. But the likelihood is that there are thousands of women in every country, particularly in the United States, who dress far smarter and much more expensively than the average blue-blood.

A lady-in-waiting to Queen Alexandra has given out that after the Dowager Queen's death only two dresses were found in her wardrobe. And one of them had been repaired.

The fact is that kings and queens in spite of the large allowances made to them by the state, are comparatively poor persons. Like Governors General and others with official positions to discharge, they have to spend nearly as much as they get, and some times more, in entertaining and in giving to charities.

Queen Alexandra all her days was a generous supporter of charities and benevolent institutions. During her last years she seldom went out. Therefore, she rubbed along with the minimum of a wardrobe. She probably gave what she didn't need to charity.

Queens are very human beings if one could only see their private family life. When the South African war was on, a foreign ambassador was admitted to the presence of Queen Victoria, who was a very great lady as well as a great queen. His found her knitting socks for the soldiers.

Acted On Instructions

How Famous Musician Bought His First Violin

The world-famous violinist, Jan Kubelik, in fond of the story of how he acquired his first violin.

I was—he says—quite a little chap at the time, and seeing the instrument in a shop window in Prague, I begged my father to buy it for me.

The shopkeeper wanted 500 kronen—roughly \$100—which my father thought too much, as it was quite a common instrument.

As my father turned away, I followed in deep distress, beseeching him to reconsider his decision.

"Well," said my father at last, "run back and offer him 300 kronen, and if he will not take that, offer him 400; and if he will not take that, give him 500."

I did exactly as I was bid. I told the man that my father said offer him 300 kronen, and if he wouldn't take that, offer him 400; and if he wouldn't take that, give him 500.

"And," adds Kubelik, "I wouldn't take a particularly clever person to guess what the man got."

Manitoba Industries

Manitoba industries have doubled in the past fifteen years. A survey made by J. E. Walsh, General Manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, shows the number of factories to have grown from 139 in 1910, to 768 in 1924, and their products to have mounted during the fourteen-year span from \$53,000,000 to \$102,000,000.

Last Wishes Carried Out

John C. Robbins, 53, a pioneer of the hill country, is dead, and his last wishes regarding his burial have been carried out. Robbins requested that he be buried with his hat on and wear the shoes he had worn for several years. Robbins was a noted game hunter.

The navy department of the United States saved \$115,000 last year by using old rags, rather than cotton waste, in polishing machinery.

Was So Nervous

The Least Noise

Made Her Jump

Mrs. W. L. Yates, Ashburn, Man., writes:—"I was bothered very much with my heart and nerves, and the least noise would make me jump and almost stop my heart beating."

"I was told about this medicine one day, and she said that she had been bothered the same way and told me to get a box of

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

When I had taken the one box I felt quite a lot better and by the time I had taken three boxes I got relief."

Write for a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Workmen Find Queer Urns In Germany

Date From Early Stone Age Says Director of Museum

Clay urns believed to contain the ashes of people from Indo-European times have been discovered by workmen in Geln, near Potsdam. Besides the urns, which were found two feet below the surface, lay two stone hammers and two stone knives.

All were contained in what is believed to be a clay casket, though the workmen, lacking knowledge of the importance of the discovery, did great destruction before the attention of archaeologists was called to the digging.

The grave was found on a small hill and it is believed that others exist in the immediate neighborhood. The director of the Potsdam Museum, examined the urns, declared they dated from the early stone stage and were the first type ever found in Germany. Crude figures were drawn in red pigment around the urns and the covers were provided with rings to keep them in position like a modern jar.

Around one large urn were five smaller urns, presumably containing food and drink for the departed. Unfortunately, only two of these were saved from the workmen's picks. Their contents were turned over to chemists who will try to discover what the ancients considered delicacies for their dead.

Little Helps For This Week

Every purpose of the Lord shall be performed.—Jer. II, 29.

At best our best endeavor must fail and fall forever. Without God's guiding hand to point the way or where.

Then let us choose His choosing. All right choices refusing.

Nor question which is better to serve Him here or there.

—Margaret J. Preston.

To wish to serve Him in one place rather than in another, by such and such a way, and not by the opposite one, is to wish to serve Him in our own way, and not in His. But to be willing ready for all things, to accept everything and reject nothing, to leave one's self like a toy in the hands of Providence,—this is serving Him by renouncing self, this is treating Him truly as God, and ourselves as creatures made only for Him.

—Fenelon.

Miller's Worm-Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms, so that the child will no more be troubled by their ravages. The powders are sweet to the taste and no child will object to taking them. They are non-injurious in their composition, and while in some cases they may cause vomiting, this must not be taken as a sign that they are nauseating, but as an indication of their effective work.

Not Used As Name

Only Two Islands and One Province Use Name to Christmas

At least three places owe their names to Christmas. Two of them are islands.

One is in the East Indies, not a great way from Java. It is the top of a huge submerged mountain 15,000 feet in height, only 1,200 feet of which show above the sea. The island is valuable because of the deposits of phosphate of lime formed there by sea birds during thousands of years. Before its discovery in 1868 it was uninhabited, and even now the population numbers only about three hundred.

The other Christmas island lies in the Pacific Ocean, nearly on the Equator. It was discovered in 1777, but was only annexed by Great Britain in 1898 with a view to laying the Pacific cable. Its clothes lie in guano and mother-of-pearl.

The most important of Christmas's namesakes in Natal, a province of South Africa. The Portuguese discovered it on Christmas Day and named it Natal since it was sighted on Christ's natal day.

Much Sugar In Corn

In a bushel of corn there are approximately thirty-four pounds of starch, and depending on the method demands the amount of sugar extracted from this starch varies from a few pounds to all of the thirty-four. In actual commercial practice only eight or ten pounds of sugar are taken out of the average bushel of corn to day, but the entire thirty-four pounds of starch could be converted into sugar if necessary.

Alberta Secures Immigrants

Alberta received 12,070 immigrants during the first six months of the federal fiscal year, according to figures from Ottawa.

Sometimes a man's warm love melts a girl's heart, and sometimes it is his cold cash.

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Says He Felt Drunk
Most Of The Time
Brooklyn. Mr. Fred G. Marquart writes:—"I felt drunk most of the time. My head was dizzy. I couldn't think clearly. One day I dropped a coin and when stooped to get it I got so dizzy I almost fell. I later found out that the cause of this condition was constipation. This was overcome by a short course of Carter's Little Liver Pills, and my digestion has entirely left me."

Canada Shares In Club House

Has Room in Educational Building for Research Work at Chelms

H. H. H. the Duchess of York unveiled a commemorative tablet at Crosby Hall, Chelsea, the future educational settlement and club house for university women engaged in research work. As a result of the committee's recent appeal, a residential wing is now being built, and work has reached the High Commissioner for Canada that the Canadian Federation of University Women has decided to contribute \$5,000. One room in the club house will be called "Canada," and preference in the allocation of this room will be given to a Canadian woman studying in London.

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Mrs. Alfred Tranchemontagne, St. Michel des Saints, Que., writes:—"Baby's Tablets saved my baby's life and I can highly recommend them to all mothers."

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Advocates New Title For Canada

Toronto Professor Thinks "Kingdom of Canada" Would be Suitable

"Canada's nationalism is not yet content," Prof. G. H. R. head of the Department of History in the University of Toronto, said in an address to the Empire Club. To make it so he advocated calling Canada "The Kingdom of Canada," declaration of the complete autonomy of the Canadian Parliament for Canada, and carrying out in law what is now only the practice, that Canada is at war legally only by her own act and notification to foreign nations of this position.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective agent for their removal is Mother Gravel's Worm Exterminator.

Manitoba Silver Foxes

Further honors for Manitoba-raised silver foxes come with the purchase of 37 live animals by leading breeders in Sweden. The foxes are from the breeding of Kilmberg Brothers, at Bird's Hill, near Winnipeg, and are valued at \$15,000.

That man has reached the limit of perfection who fully deserves the good opinion he has of himself.

An ostrich can outrun an Arabian horse.

A Tokio restaurant makes a specialty of juicy fried snakes.

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Per Dozen 65c

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Red Rose Orange Pekoe, per lb	90c
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Hot House Tomatoes, Celery, Head

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Jap Oranges

per Box \$1.20

**BANK SHAREHOLDERS
DOUBLE LIABILITY**TORONTO, Dec. 20.—G. T. Clark,
liquidator of the Home Bank, de-
clared yesterday:"We intend to proceed immediately
with the collection of the balance of
the double liability and we expect that
between four and five hundred
thousand dollars will be realized from
this source."The statement follows the decision
of the second appellate court dismiss-
ing the appeal of shareholders and
confirming a previous court decision
that they must pay the double liabil-
ity.The latest decision will make no
difference in amounts paid to credi-
tors. Mr. Clarkson said, because the
liquidators have always assumed the
double liability would be collected.**SHAREHOLDERS HOME
BANK LOSE APPEAL**TORONTO, Dec. 18.—Stressing
"that theirs was a hopeless case," Mr.
Justice Order, in the judgment of the
second divisional court yesterday dis-
missed with costs the appeal of cer-
tain shareholders of the defunct Home
Bank who protested the claim of the
liquidator for double liability under
the Bank act. "I find it difficult to
understand how the shareholders can
have been so badly advised as to
prosecute such a hopeless contest as
the present one," he said.R. F. "Robbie" Barnes, of Coleman,
is spending a vacation at the Pacific
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Turner will be glad to know that he
is able to spend the Christmas season
in Blairmore and arrived here by this
morning's train.Don't forget the Elks' third annual
novelty dance at the opera house on
New Year's Eve. Mrs. Altematt's
orchestra in attendance.William Porter, owner of the Alex-
andra hotel, lies seriously ill at a
Lethbridge hospital. Mr. Porter is
about eighty years of age.Mr. I. G. Flood, of Foremost, has
assumed the position of teller at the
local branch of the Royal Bank of
Canada.Miss Hall, of the local teaching
staff, left by Wednesday morning's
train to spend the Christmas holi-
days in California.Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacAuley,
of Saskatoon, have arrived at Cole-
man to spend the Christmas season
with Mrs. MacAuley's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Alex. Beck.If our game laws would require
hunters to carry brains and common
sense instead of white suits when
hunting big game, there would be far
less fatalities and accidents."Dutch" Gainer played the star
role as defence with the Calgary
Tigers against Regina on Monday
night. Daly, formerly of the Cole-
man team, also displayed a remark-
able brand of hockey for Regina.LOST—Between Blairmore and
Frank, a basket containing a number
of milk bottles. Finder will be re-
warded on leaving same at The En-
terprise office or with R. Wintgens,
Frank.A teacher took an apple from one
of the school boys and ate it, where-
upon the youngster began to cough.
When asked why he was coughing,
he replied: "The apple went the
wrong way."The majority of Blairmore's sport
fans succeeded in being absent from
the opening hockey game on Tuesday
night, and Bellevue, as well, were
represented only by their team. If
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worthy of anything, it is support, and
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Christmas Wrapped Cigars, 10s, per box \$1.00 and \$1.25	
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If you have tried your hand at
something and failed, try both hands.Commissioner Bryan, of the A.P.P.,
was down from Edmonton on Tues-
day.Dance the old year out and the new
one in at the Elks' third annual nov-
elty dance in the opera house on New
Year's Eve.An Oklahoma girl advertised for a
husband and landed him in a short
time. The ad cost \$3.00, the wedding
\$6.00, a total for advertising and wed-
ding of \$9.00. The husband lived less
than a year and left her a life in-
surance policy for \$11,000. And yet
there are a lot of fellows sitting
around on soap boxes who say it does
not pay to advertise.The score here on Tuesday night
of six-four was considerably better
than that of the Calgary-Regina pro
game on Monday night, when the
game was seven-one. Of course, the
Pass hockey material on the Calgary
and Regina teams have not had time
to install their stuff into the big
teams.A very enjoyable whist drive and
social was held in the Lodge Hall on
Wednesday evening last, under the
auspices of Greenhill Temple, Pythian
Sisters. Twenty hands of whist were
played. The prize winners were:
Ladies' first, Mrs. Fern; second, Miss
Jean Shearer; consolation, Mrs. Nichol-
son. Gent's first, Mrs. B. Sennier;
second, Mr. S. Bannan; consolation,
Mr. Ed. Thibodeau. The Christmas
turkey, given as a door prize, was
won by Mrs. Bannan, who held the
lucky ticket.A young lady from Bellevue was
visiting relatives in West Blairmore.
During the course of her stay, she was
invited to an informal dinner.
Wine was served and, after partak-
ing, the young lady, felt somewhat
elated. She thought of her home in
Bellevue and compared mentally her
quiet life there with the gay life of
Blairmore. Turning to the young man
on her left, she said gushingly,
"If I were home, I could show you
the prettiest calf."
"Sh," said the young man, in a
tame whisper. "Meet me in the con-
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